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Community Health Resources

New Publications

Certificate of Recognition for Dedication to Creating a Donation Friendly America as a Workplace Partner for Life

This Certificate of Recognition from the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services honors those who dedicate themselves to promoting organ donation in the workplace.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 1 p.

Identification Number: HRS00341

Decision: Donation—A School Program that Gives the Gift of Life Kit

This organ donation kit contains a CD-ROM and a print version of the CD-ROM's content that educators can integrate into current curriculum and training programs. It is designed for use in a variety of classroom settings such as driver's education, english, health, math, biology, and social studies. It includes an overview on organ and tissue donation and transplantation, answers commonly asked questions, discusses matching donors and recipients, and presents religious viewpoints on organ donation. It was developed by a panel of transplant experts, high school and driver education teachers, and others experienced in working with high school students.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 131 pp.

Identification Number: HRS00344

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Workplace Partnership for Life-Donate Life

This video promotes workplace partnerships that increase organ and tissue donation awareness. It addresses support offered to employers and other organizations by the Federal Government through free brochures, lapel pins, speeches, and Web site tools to aid in awareness and promotion in the workplace. It provides information on State actions to initiate workplace partnerships and the growing number of partnerships between Federal agencies and large corporations that reach over 50 million employees and their families.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 30:00 running time

Identification Number: HRS00340

Archived Publications

Public Health: A Legislator's Guide

Identification Number: HRS00281

Publication Year: 2002



Health Professions Training

New Publications

A Comparison of Changes in the Professional Practice of Nurse Practitioners, Physician Assistants, and Certified Nurse Midwives: 1992 and 2000

This report compares a study conducted in 1994 with data collected from 1992 to 2000 on nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and certified nurse midwives. It discusses the changes in roles and responsibilities of these professionals, and the increase in acceptance and recognition by patients, physicians, and the general public. It presents factors related to the changes, including an assessment of improvements of access to care and the relationship between these three professions.

Publication Year: 2000 Length: 227 pp.

Identification Number: BHP00198

Archived Publications

Nurse Practitioner Primary Care Competencies in Specialty Areas: Adult, Family, Gerontological, Pediatric, and Women's Health (April 2002)

Identification Number: BHP00178

Publication Year: 2002



HIV/AIDS

New Publications

Cuidado De La Salud Y El VIH: Guia Nutricional Para Profesionales De La Salud Y Pacientes. Health Care and HIV: Nutritional Guide for Providers and Clients

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Publication Year: 2004 Length: 263 pp.

Identification Number: HAB00341

Health Care and HIV: Nutritional Guide for Providers and Clients

This CD-ROM assists health care providers and people living with HIV in making good nutrition a part of health care. It presents specific ideas regarding the daily issues people with HIV confront in eating. It includes scientific references, and background information on areas of concern in nutrition and HIV.

Publication Year: 2004

Identification Number: HAB00347

HRSA Care ACTION. Buprenorphine: A New Tool in the Arsenal (March 2004)

This newsletter discusses opiate use in the HIV/AIDS environment and the role it plays in HIV transmission. It provides information on how buprenorphine is used to treat opiate addiction in HIV/AIDS patients. It explains how effective burprenorphine has been worldwide in HIV treatment.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 8 pp.

Identification Number: HAB00343

HRSA Care ACTION. Demystifying Quality: Guiding Principles for CARE Act Programs (December 2003)

This newsletter includes information on Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) programs for health care professionals that can enhance quality services and health care treatments to better serve their HIV/AIDS patients. It defines CQI, discusses the benefits of implementing CQI's, presents potential challenges, and offers nine steps on developing an effective program. It includes a case study that demonstrates the effectiveness of CQI's.

Publication Year: 2003 Length: 8 pp.

Protecting Health Information Privacy and Complying with Federal Regulation: A Resource Guide for HIV Services Providers and the Health Resources and Services Administration's HIV/AIDS Bureau Staff

This resource guide is for Ryan White Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Act Grantees and program staff in the Health Resources and Services Administration's HIV/AIDS Bureau. It provides information on the medical Privacy Rule and the enforcement and impact of the rule. It explains an individual's right to privacy with his/her health information and the use and disclosure of that information.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 35 pp.

Identification Number: HAB00344

Ryan White CARE Act Title IV 2001 Program Data Report: Comprehensive Family Services for Women, Infants, Children, Youth, and Families

This report highlights information on services offered by Ryan White CARE Act Title IV Grantees. It provides statistics on HIV status, risk exposure, service utilization, housing/living arrangements, and primary sources of reimbursement. It presents the number of patients receiving services by gender, age, and race/ethnicity. It includes tables and graphs.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 37 pp.

Identification Number: HAB00342

Special Projects of National Significance (SPNS): Information Technology Initiative

This report examines the effects of using Information Technology (IT) in delivering primary care services to people living with HIV. It describes how IT assists in health care delivery by using electronic medical records, individual patient databases, and interactive health communication via the Web. It includes tables that describe HRSA Grantees' IT interventions in health care delivery and an evaluation of these interventions.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 8 pp. Identification Number: HAB00346

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Publication Year: 2004 Length: 30 pp.

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Managed Care

New Publications

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Identification Number: ORHP00271



Maternal and Child Health

New Publications

Advisory Committee on Infant Mortality: Recommendations on the Future of the Healthy Start Initiative

This report discusses the Healthy Start Initiative, which aims to reduce the infant mortality rate (IMR), decrease racial disparities in IMR, and improve the health status of pregnant woman and infants. It provides program recommendations that focus on the reduction of maternal/infant mortality and morbidity. It highlights program development and examines overall child, family, and community outcomes.

Publication Year: 2001 Length: 13 pp.

Identification Number: MCH00121

Early Childhood Caries Resource Guide

This resource guide discusses the impact of early childhood caries on systemic health. It encourages health professionals to actively engage in oral health promotion and disease prevention. It lists journal articles, materials, and organizations that serve as information resources.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 28 pp.

Healthy Generations: Children's Special Vulnerability to Environmental Health Risks (Volume 4, Issue 3, February 2004)

This newsletter addresses children's vulnerability to environmental contaminants through their behaviors, diets, and physiological characteristics. It includes articles on environment, learning, and disease; pollution prevention and the protection of children; disparities in health effects and exposures; and community efforts to keep children safe from toxic substances.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 12 pp.

Identification Number: MCH00117

Northeast Regional Injury Prevention Network: Poison Data Book

This data book is a comprehensive resource for comparing the number and types of poison-related events in eight Northeastern States that comprise the Northeast Regional Injury Prevention Network (NEIPN). It presents secondary analyses of mortality data, hospital discharge data, and Toxic Exposure Surveillance System data by Region and by State. It increases attention to poison prevention in hopes of reducing poison-related morbidity and mortality. It includes Appendices containing a list of International Classification of Disease and Clinical Modification codes, tables of poison-related death and hospitalizations, U.S. Census population data, tables of Poison Control Center data, a directory of Poison Control Centers in the Northeast, NEIPN contact information, a glossary of terms, and acknowledgments.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 85 pp.

Identification Number: HRS00346

Oral Health Resource Bulletin (Volume IX, January 2004)

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Publication Year: 2004 Length: 26 pp.

Identification Number: MCH00113

Archived Publications

Focus on Infection Control in Child Care

Identification Number: MCHH041

Publication Year: 1994

Measuring Up: A Blueprint for Building Quality Assurance-Video

Identification Number: MCHL022

Publication Year: 1998

Bright Futures Case Studies for Primary Care Clinicians (3 Volume Set):"A Guide to the Case Teaching Method; and Growth in Children and Adolescents," "Adolescent Health," and "Child Development and Behavior"

Identification Number: MCHN100

Publication Year: 2001

Bright Futures in Practice: Nutrition (Second Edition)

Identification Number: MCH00102

Publication Year: 2003

Bright Futures Hojas Informativas de la Familia sobre Nutricion. Bright Futures Nutrition Family Fact Sheets

Identification Number: MCH00103

Publication Year: 2003



Minority Health

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Cuidado De La Salud Y El VIH: Guia Nutricional Para Profesionales De La Salud Y Pacientes (Febrero 2004). Health Care and HIV: Nutritional Guide for Providers and Clients (February 2004)

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Length: 30 pp.

Identification Number: HAB00345

Archived Publications

A Functional Manual for Providing Linguistically Competent Health Care Services as Developed by a Community Health Center: Asian Pacific Health Care Venture, Inc.

Identification Number: HRS00326

Publication Year: 2003

Bright Futures Hojas Informativas de la Familia sobre Nutricion. Bright Futures Nutrition Family Fact Sheets

Identification Number: MCH00103

Publication Year: 2003



Oral Health

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Publication Year: 2004 Identification Number: MCH00124

Length: 28 pp.

Oral Health and Health in Women: A Two-Way Relationship

This fact sheet for health professionals contains information on women's oral health and general health status. It provides information on the third National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey and strategies used to improve women's oral health.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 1 p.

Identification Number: MCH00123

Oral Health Resource Bulletin (Volume IX, January 2004)

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Publication Year: 2004 Length: 26 pp.

Identification Number: MCH00113



Primary Health Care

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Publication Year: 2004 Length: 21 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00286

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Are Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nurses a Solution to Rural Mental Health Workforce Shortages? Working Paper #31

This working paper presents recommendations for increasing the role of Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nurses (APPN's) to address mental health needs in rural areas. It examines the content of APPN training programs to determine whether the curriculum includes preparation for rural mental health services practice. It includes data on the geographic distribution of APPN's on psychiatric nurses and requirements for prescriptive authority.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 24 pp.

Chronic Disease Management in Rural and Underserved Areas. Patient Responses and Outcomes. Appendix 1: Survey Results

This report presents the results of a 2002 survey of health professionals providing disease management (DM) to patients in rural areas. It discusses the use of DM to address chronic conditions among rural populations. It includes information from health providers and six project sites on the challenges of DM and successful strategies used to assist rural populations.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 55 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00281

Core Based Statistical Areas and the Medicare Wage Index

This report discusses how rural health providers may be impacted by the new Office of Management and Budget (OMB) statistical area standards on the hospital wage index and Medicare payments. In 2003, the OMB began using new statistical area standards based on county populations from 2000 census data. It provides 1999—2003 data on metropolitan versus nonmetropolitan county classification changes, population classification changes, hospital classification changes, and hospital reclassifications. It presents options for new wage index market definitions.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 8 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00284

Factors Influencing Retention and Attrition of Alaska Community Health Aides/Practitioners: A Qualitative Study

This report presents findings of a survey investigating the factors impacting retention and attrition at Community Health Aide/Practitioner (CHA/P) locations in Alaska. It discusses the role of communities, families, colleagues, and employer support in retention and attrition. It suggests several potential solutions for decreasing CHA/P attrition.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 64 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00279

Final Report. Chronic Disease Management in Rural and Underserved Areas: Patient Responses and Outcomes

This report presents the experiences of six health systems that provide disease management to rural and/or uninsured populations in the Rural Chronic Disease Management Study. It discusses the impact of implementing disease management programs and models, and the challenges associated with implementation. It includes a project description, research goals, survey methodology, analyses, conclusions, and policy implications.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 42 pp.

Measuring Rural Hospital Quality: Working Paper #53

This working paper analyzes different quality measurements in rural hospitals. It focuses on measurements such as constrained resources and greater reliance on general practitioners. It discusses efforts to help rural hospitals build their capacity, identify rural hospital quality measurement issues, and determine next steps toward the development of relevant quality measurements. It includes data tables.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 66 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00282

Policy Analysis Brief: Financially Distressed Rural Hospitals in Four States (January 2004, W Series, Number 2)

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Publication Year: 2004 Length: 4 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00270

Policy Analysis Brief: Perspectives of Rural Hospitals on Bioterrorism Preparedness Planning (April 2004, W Series, Number 4)

This policy brief outlines findings from a literature review on bioterrorism preparedness plans in rural hospitals. It highlights key findings on preparedness including workforce training, physical capacity and supplies, communication, and coordination with other entities. It includes policy implications of bioterrorism preparedness and provides a list of panelists contributing to the literature review.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 6 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00280

Policy Analysis Brief: Rural Hospitals' Strategies for Achieving Compliance with HIPAA Privacy Requirements (March 2004, W Series, Number 3)

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Publication Year: 2004 Length: 4 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00271

Policy Brief. Assisted Living: Is It An Option for Rural Areas? (Spring 2004)

This policy brief describes how Assisted Living Facilities (ALF's) can improve and enhance residential long-term health care for patients living in rural communities. It compares services currently offered by nursing homes and rural ALF's. It presents challenges seniors may encounter, such as affordability of health care and access to services. It includes funding recommendations for Medicaid and low-income seniors who are interested in ALF's.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 2 pp.

Quality Improvement Strategies and Best Practices in Critical Access Hospitals: Working Paper #52

This working paper presents findings on Critical Access Hospitals (CAH's) and the progress being made with Quality Improvement (QI) Initiative programs. It discusses the efforts and development of QI Initiative programs, associated challenges of implementing these programs, and the potential benefits they provide to CAH's. It includes findings from a telephone survey conducted with 72 CAH's and cites comments made by two facilities that currently use QI Initiative programs.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 37 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00266

RUPRI Center for Rural Health Policy Analysis. Information Technology and Rural Health Networks: An Overview of Network Practices

This paper provides findings from interviews conducted with 15 rural health network spokespersons. The networks received funding from the Federal Health Network Development Grant Program. It discusses how these rural health networks use Grant funds to implement and expand information technology capabilities. It presents policy implications and includes interview methodology and telephone interview protocols.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 14 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00283

Southwest Rural Health Research Center— Publications: Close-Up

This fact sheet provides a description of the Southwest Rural Health Research Center (SRHRC) and its mission and goals. It lists SRHRC's recent publications, 2002-2004 research agenda's, and completed projects. It includes SRHRC contact information.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 2 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00287

Starting a Rural Health Clinic—A How-To Manual

This manual provides guidelines on the process for becoming a certified Rural Health Clinic. It contains information on the qualifications, application process, financial considerations, and additional steps required for certification. It includes five appendices with sample documents and contact agencies.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 164 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00274

The Alaska Community Health Aide Program: An Integrative Literature Review and Visions for Future Research

This report presents findings from a literature review relating to the Alaska Community Health Aide Program (CHAP). It describes the program, which was started 35 years ago to improve primary care services to remote Alaska Native populations. It examines published literature and recommends future CHAP studies.

Publication Year: 2003 Length: 27 pp.

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The Financial Benefits of Critical Access Hospital Conversion for FY 1999 and FY 2000 Converters: Working Paper #51

This working paper examines the affect Critical Access Hospital (CAH) status has on small rural hospitals one to two years after they converted to cost-based Medicare reimbursement for outpatient and acute inpatient services. It provides information on conversion requirements and benefits, and describes the incentives that facilities can potentially receive if they convert to CAH status. It includes a comparison of pre- and postconversion financial changes on CAH's to small rural hospitals that did not convert to cost-based Medicare reimbursement.

Publication Year: 2004 Length: 23 pp.

Identification Number: ORHP00264

Archived Publications

Perinatal and Infant Health Among Rural and Urban American Indian/Alaska Natives

Identification Number: ORHP00131

Publication Year: 1999

Women's Reproductive Health Care in Rural Washington: Who Provides Care and What Is their Scope of Practice?

Identification Number: ORHP00222

Publication Year: 2001